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By the Lords Justices General and General
Governors of Ireland,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N.

John Armagh. Newport C. Hen: Boyle.

W H E R E A S his Majesty hath signified unto us his Royal Pleasure, that the Parliament of this Kingdom, which now stands prorogued to Tuesday the Nineteenth Day of February Instant, be further prorogued to Tuesday the Twentieth Day of August next: We do therefore publish and declare, that the said Parliament be, and accordingly the said Parliament is, hereby further prorogued to Tuesday the Twentieth Day of August next: Whereof the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons in this present Parliament, are to take Notice accordingly.

Given at his Majesty's Castle of Dublin,
the 6th Day of February 1744.

By their Excellencies Command,
Ja. Belcher.

G O D save the King.

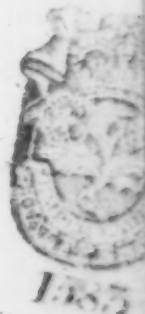
Naples, Feb. 2, N. S. The King's Field Equipage is preparing with the greatest Expedition, which gives Occasion to a Report, that his Majesty intends to put himself again at the Head of his and the Spanish Army. An Edict was published here last Week, promising a general Pardon to all Deserters, both Horse and Foot, who, within the Term of 40 Days from the Date thereof, shall return to their respective Regiments, or surrender themselves to the Governors of the Fortresses of the Kingdom.

(Price Four-Pence.)

Rome, Feb. 6, N. S. Supplies of Provisions daily arrive here from Naples by Sea and Land, for the Spanish and Neapolitan Armies.

Florence, Feb. 9, N. S. The Army under Count Gages had actually began their March towards Foligno in their Way to Tuscany, and Orders had been given for 10,000 Rations of Bread to be ready for them upon the 5th at Perugia, when a Courier arrived from Naples with Orders to stop the further March of the Troops, whereupon they all returned to their old Quarters at Viterbo, Orvieto, Terni, Narni, Spoleto, &c. The Austrian Army continues in its usual Situation, and begins to be reinforced every Day by Recruits from Lombardy and Germany. On the 1st of this Month, 500 Men of the Pope's Troops that were raised in the last Summer, having been dismissed, and their Regimentals taken from them, Cardinal Acquaviva, who had previous Notice of this Design, insisted most of them into the Spanish Service. A Party of Austrian Hussars lately surprized a Body of 400 Spaniards in the Neighbourhood of Orvieto, and defeated them; one hundred and fifty of the wounded Count Gages ordered to be sent to the Hospital at Monte Rotondo. A Report prevails in this City, that an Insurrection has lately happen'd amongst the Inhabitants of Corsica against the Genoese Government. A third Regiment of Militia is raising in Tuscany, which is to be compleated by the latter End of next Month.

Francfort, Feb. 20, N. S. What we have been expecting for some Time past, viz. that the French Troops quarter'd on this Side of the Mayn, as far as the River Lahn, would not wait the Approach of the Combined Army now marching from the Lower Rhine, but retire back over the first mentioned River, has now happened: For not only those that were quar-



ter'd between this Place and Mentz repassed the Mayn, on the 18th, but also those who were posted on and about the Lahn, after a forced March of 10 Hours, did the like Yesterday and this Day, leaving behind them the Magazines they had erected: Those who had been quarter'd at Aschaffenburg, and other Places up the Mayn above this City, marched this Day on the other Side of the River, in our Sight. They give out, that their Design is to take Possession of the advantageous Camp near Trebur; but as they will find no Forage, nor other Necessaries, in that Country, which they have already entirely exhausted, and in which they have not prepared any Magazines beforehand, this is thought to be only a Blind to cover the true Motive of their Retreat, which is attributed by every body to the Approach of the Confederate Army. This precipitate Flight of the French Forces occasions great Joy here, and in all the neighbouring Parts.

Bonn, Feb. 22. By Letters from Mentz there is Advice, that the Elector has distributed Powder and Ball to the Burghers, and appointed the Posts at which they are to assemble in Case of an Alarm; and that the French have laid a Bridge over the Rhine near Worms.

Whitehall, February 23.

His Majesty has been pleased to declare his Intention of giving the Command in Chief of the Troops in his Majesty's Service in Flanders for the ensuing Campaign, to his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland.

Whitehall, February 23.

His Majesty has been pleased to grant unto William Beauchamp Proctor, in the County of Norfolk, Esq; the Dignity of a Baronet of the Kingdom of Great Britain.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Richard Edwards, Esq; Commander of his Majesty's Ship Princess Mary, to be Governor and Commander in Chief in and over his Majesty's Island of Newfoundland in America, the Forts and Garrison at Placentia, and all other Forts and Garrisons erected and to be erected on that Island.

The Circuits appointed for the Lent Assizes are as follow, viz.

Northern Circuit.

Lord Chief Justice Lee.

Mr. Justice Wright.

City of York, Monday March 11, at the Guildhall of the said City.

York, The same Day, at the Castle of York.
Lancaster, Monday March 25, at the Castle of Lancaster.

Norfolk Circuit.

Lord Chief Justice Willes.

Mr. Justice Burnett.

Bucks, Monday March 11, at Aylesbury.
Bedford, Thursday March 14, at Bedford.
Huntingdon, Saturday March 16, at Huntingdon.
Cambridge, Monday March 18, at the Castle of Cambridge.
Norfolk, Thursday March 21, at Thetford.
Suffolk, Monday March 25, at Bury St. Edmund's.

Midland Circuit.

Lord Chief Baron Parker.

Mr. Baron Clarke.

Northampton, Tuesday March 12, at Northampton.
Rutland, Friday March 15, at Oakham.
Lincoln, Monday March 18, at the Castle of Lincoln.
City of Lincoln, The same Day at the City of Lincoln.
Nottingham, Friday March 22, at Nottingham.
Town of Nottingham, Saturday March 23, at the Town of Nottingham.
Derby, Tuesday March 26, at Derby.
Leicester, Friday March 29, at the Castle of Leicester.
Borough of Leicester, Saturday March 30, at the Borough of Leicester.
City of Coventry, Tuesday April 2, at the City of Coventry.
Warwick, Wednesday April 3, at Warwick.

Home Circuit.

Mr. Baron Carter.

Mr. Baron Abney.

Hertford, Thursday February 28, at the Town of Hertford.
Essex, Monday March 4, at Chelmsford.
Kent, Monday March 11, at Rochester.
Sussex, Monday March 18, at East Grinstead.
Surry, Thursday March 21, at Croydon.

Oxford Circuit.

Mr. Baron Reynolds.

Mr. Serjeant Birch.

Berks, Monday March 4, at Reading.
Oxon, Wednesday March 6, at Oxford.
Gloucester, Saturday March 9, at Gloucester.

City of Gloucester, The same Day, at the City of Gloucester.

Monmouth, Thursday March 14, at Monmouth.

Hereford, Saturday March 16, at Hereford.

Salop, Friday March 22, at Shrewsbury.

Stafford, Wednesday March 27, at Stafford.

Worcester, Saturday March 30, at Worcester.

City of Worcester, The same Day, at the City of Worcester.

Western Circuit.

Mr. Justice Denison.

Mr. Serjeant Hussey.

Southampton, Tuesday March 5, at the Castle of Winton.

Wilts, Saturday March 9, at New Sarum.

Dorset, Thursday March 14, at Dorchester.

City and County of Exeter, Monday March 18, at the Guildhall of the same City.

Devon, The same Day, at the Castle of Exeter.

Cornwall, Tuesday March 26, at Launceston.

Somerset, Monday April 1, at the Castle of Taunton.

War-Office, Feb. 19, 1744-5.

His Majesty having been pleased to direct that all the Officers belonging to the several Regiments of Horse, Dragoons and Battalions of Foot serving in Flanders, should repair to their respective Posts by the 10th of March next, and to order all the Recruits and Recruit-Horses belonging to the Regiments of Horse and Dragoons to be in a Readiness to embark for Flanders by that Time; and likewise that the several Battalions of Foot should be compleat by the first Day of the same Month, either by Recruits raised by the Officers appointed for that Service, or by Draughts made from the additional Companies which are to be sent over to Flanders by every Opportunity: This publick Notice is hereby given of these his Majesty's Commands, that the proper Officers may govern themselves accordingly.

But if it shall not be possible for the said Regiments to be quite compleat by the Time above-mentioned, then and not otherwise the Officers appointed by Marshal Wade for the Recruiting Service, or such of them as the Colonels think necessary, are to continue in Great Britain in order to compleat them, or till further Order.

And it is his Majesty's further Pleasure, that such Recruits for the Battalions of Guards and Regiments of Foot, as shall not have been sent to Flanders to join their respective Corps by other Opportunities, do repair to the several Places following, viz.

All such Regiments of Dragoons or Foot as have Recruits in Scotland, are to send the said Recruits to Leith, there to be embarked, on or before the 20th Day of March next.

Those in Northumberland, Cumberland, Westmorland, Durham, and Town of Berwick, to Newcastle, on or before the said 20th Day of March.

Those in any other more Southern Counties, to Gravesend and Places adjacent, on or before the 10th Day of March next.

And all the Officers Horses and Recruit-Horses, for the two Troops of Guards, Grenadier Guards, and Re-

giments of Horse and Dragoons, are to march to Gravesend and Places adjacent, on or before the said 10th Day of March next.

By his Majesty's Command,

Will. Yonge.

Whitehall, February 23, 1744-5.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that a Mill-house, called Langley Mill, in the Parish of Halsted in the County of Essex, belonging to Thomas Ruggles, of Bocking in the said County, Bay-making was, between Twelve and One of the Clock in the Morning of the 19th of this Instant February, broke open by several Persons armed with Fire Arms and other Weapons, and disguised, who cut to Pieces a long Bay then upon the Tenter, threw divers Bays into the Mill-hole, destroyed the Rowing Mill, together with sundry Utensils for dressing of the said Goods, and did other great Damages to the said Thomas Ruggles, declaring, when they went away, that if the Rowing Mill was repaired, they would come there again, and murder all whom they should find working there: His Majesty for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned therein, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon, to any one of the Offenders, who shall discover his Accomplices, so as they, or any of them, be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HARRINGTON.

And the said Thomas Ruggles does hereby promise a Reward of Twenty Pounds to such Person or Persons who shall make such Discovery as is above-mentioned, to be paid upon Conviction of the said Offenders, or any one or more of them.

Tho. Ruggles.

Navy-Office, Jan. 25, 1744.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Monday the 25th of February next, in the Morning, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are inclinable to supply the Seamen serving in his Majesty's Ships with the following Particulars, viz.

Jackets, Waistcoats and Breeches of Kersey, and Waistcoats and Breeches of strip'd Ticken.

Breeches of Shag. Shirts and Drawers of blue and white Linnen.

Stockings of Yarn. Caps Woollen mill'd, and Trowsers and Frocks of Osnabrug Canvas.

Shoes of Neats Leather, double Soled.

Caps of Yarn. Buckles of Brass.

Leather Caps and Hats.

And that such Persons as incline to undertake the same, may in the mean time view the Patterns of the said Cloaths at this Office, and see the Conditions of the Contract.

Navy Office, Feb. 13, 1744.

Whereas His Majesty's Ship the Victory was lost the 4th or 5th of October last in the British Channel, and

and, as is supposed, near the Island of Guernsey, or some where on that Coast: These are to give Notice, that if any Person or Persons can discover where the Wreck of the said Ship lies, and will inform the Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy thereof, he or they shall receive from the said Principal Officers and Commissioners the Sum of One Hundred Pounds, to be paid upon its being made appear where the said Wreck lies, to the Officers of any of His Majesty's Ships or Vessels that shall be sent in Quest of the same.

By the Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy.

These are to give Notice, that on Monday the 11th of next Month, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, this Board will be ready to treat with such Manufacturers as are desirous to serve into his Majesty's Stores at Deptford, a Quantity of British Sail Cloth, of the several Sorts made Use of in his Majesty's Navy, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

Dated at the Navy-Office, Feb. 18, 1744.

By the Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy.

These are to give Notice, that this Board will be ready to treat with such Persons as are desirous to sell and import the Stores undermentioned for his Majesty's Service, between Nine and Ten of the Clock each Morning, on the Days expressed against the same, that they may attend with their Proposals at those Times, viz.

Hemp,	Wednesday March 13, 1744
Tar East Country,	Friday 15.
Iron,	Wednesday 20.
Dantzick Plank	} Friday 22.
and	
Prussia Deals,	Wednesday March 27, 1745.
Riga Masts,	Friday 29.
Norway Goods,	

General Post-Office, October 19, 1744.

Publick Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, That the Mail for Flanders, which used to go out from this Office upon Monday Night, will not go out till the Tuesday Night of every Week for the Time to come, or till Orders shall be given to the contrary.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,

Geo. Shelvocke, Secretary.

East India House, Feb. 15, 1744.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice, That the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up on Thursday the 7th of March next, at Two of the Clock: That a Quarterly General Court will be holden at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 20th of the said Month, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon: That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at the said House, on Thursday the 21st of the said Month; That a General Court will be holden at the said House, on Wednesday the 3d of April

next, for the Election of Twenty four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing; which will continue from Nine in the Morning, till Six in the Afternoon of the same Day, after which Time no Lists will be taken in: And that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be opened on Thursday the 4th of the said Month of April.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majesty's Ships Hampton Court, Chester, and Grampus Sloop, who were on board at the taking the Eight French Prizes called the

St. Francois,	Duc de Penthièvre,
Trois Soeurs,	Le Mars,
La Jennette,	Jafon,
La Vestale,	La Solide.

That the Hampton Court's Prize-Money is now paying on board the said Ship at Spithead; And the Shares of such as are not now demanded, will be paid the first Thursday in every Month for three Years, at the Crown Tavern behind the Royal Exchange, between the Hours of Eleven and Four.

The remaining Shares of the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship Chester, will be paid at the Crown Tavern behind the Royal Exchange, on Thursday the 28th Instant, between the Hours of Eleven and Four.

The Officers and Company of his Majesty's Sloop Grampus, who were on board at the taking the said Prizes, will be paid their respective Shares at the Crown Tavern behind the Royal Exchange, on Friday the 1st of March next: The Recalls will be the first Thursday in every Month, between the Hours of Eleven and Three.

The Court of Assistants of the Russia Company give Notice. That the Annual General Court of the said Company will be held at Saliers Hall in Saviden's-Lane, Cannon-street, on Friday the first Day of March next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Election of a Governor, Consuls, Assistants, and other Officers for the Year ensuing.

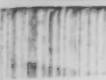
Advertisements.

Dr. ANDERSON'S, or,
The Famous SCOTS PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by D. INGLISH, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mulletts Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inghis underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

PURsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Tomline, late of Riby in the County of Lincoln, Esq; deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the 25th of March next, otherwise they will be premissarily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.





TO be sold peremptorily, to the best Bidder, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, on the 13th of March next, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, A Freehold Estate in Falfthorpe in the County of Lincoln, of the yearly Value of 180 l. and upwards; and the Manor of Woodhall, with the Apurtenances, in Kelfall in the County of Hertford, of the yearly Value of 33 l. and upwards, late the Estates of Margaret Willymott, Widow, deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

Saturday the 16th Day of February, in the Eighteenth Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the Second 1744, between Elizabeth Brown, Spinster, Plaintiff; Thomas Pryce and Ann his Wife, Thomas Potter, Henry Holland, Edmund Tatham and John Haworth, Defendants.

UPON the Plaintiff's humble Petition this Day preferred unto the Right Hon. the Master of the Rolls, for the Reasons therein, and in the Affidavit therein mentioned, contained, it is ordered, that the Defendant Thomas Pryce do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the first Day of April next.

TO be peremptorily sold, on Wednesday the 20th Day of March next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Kinaston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, A large Freehold Messuage or Mansion-house, with a Garden and Out-houses thereunto belonging, situate in Lincoln's Inn Fields in the County of Middlesex, late the Estate of Peregrine Duke of Ancafter, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn. N. B. This House was built by the late Inigo Jones, deceased, and in which he formerly dwelt.

TO be peremptorily sold, before Henry Montague, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Thursday the 21st of March next, between the Hours of Five and Seven in the Afternoon, A Customary Freehold Estate, Part of the Manor of Taunton Dean, situate in or near the Borough of Taunton in the County of Somerset, of the yearly Value of 256 l. or thereabouts; together with a Leasehold Messuage called the Bell Inn in Taunton, lately lett at 40 l. per Annum, held by Lease dated the 11th of October, 19th of Charles I. for 1000 Years, late the Estate of William Daggett, Esq; deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Charles Vaughan, late of Ottery St. Mary in the County of Devon, Esq; deceased, are forthwith to come before William Kinaston, Esq; one of the Master's of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and prove their several Demands, or, in Default thereof, they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the specialty Creditors of William Chetle, late of Chancery-lane, London, Gent. deceased, are hereby forthwith required to come in, and prove their Debts before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, London, or, in Default thereof, they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors of Joseph Bezeley, late of Lime-house in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, and Bankrupt, who have proved their Debts under the Commission awarded against the said Bezeley, are desired to meet the Assignees on Tuesday the 5th of March next, at Baker's Coffee-house in Exchange-Alley, London, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, to consent to the Assignees compounding and agreeing several Matters in Difference betwixt them and other Persons, relating to the Estate of the said Bankrupt, and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors of John Pratt, late of the Town of Northampton, Wine Merchant, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate on Tuesday the 5th Day of March next, at Four in the Afternoon, at the Half Moon Tavern in Gracechurch-street, London, in order to empower the said Assignees to compound Debts due to the said Estate, and to consult upon other special Affairs.

THE Creditors of Thomas Heath, late of Henrietta-street, Covent-Garden, Esq; are desired to send an Account of their several Demands, and of their respective Securities to Mr. John Heaton, of New Court Swithin's-lane, London, Attorney, for the Executor.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Furlong Rayner, late of the Parish of St. Paul Covent Garden, in the County of Middlesex, Milliner and Chapwoman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Tuesday next, at Six of the Clock in the Evening, at the Horn Tavern in Fleet-street, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, for Recovery of Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate, or to the submitting to Arbitration, or compounding or otherwise agreeing several Matters in Dispute relating thereto, and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Tash, of Cateaton-street, London, Merchant, did meet (pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette) on the 22d Instant, at Guildhall, London, being the Day appointed for Choice of Assignees, but at the Request of the major Part of the Creditors then present, the said Choice is put off till the second Day of March next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and chuse an Assignee or Assignees.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Chapman, late of the Parish of St. Botolph, Aldgate, London, Carpenter, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 28th of this Instant February, on the 9th of March next, and on the 6th of April following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Gason, Attorney, in Johnston's Court, Fleet-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Porter, of Ironmonger-Lane, London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 13th of March next, and on the 6th of April following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Fenwick, Attorney, near St. Martin's-Lane in Thames-street, London.

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THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Courtneis, of Lindfield, in the County of Sussex, Mercer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th Day of March next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Timbrell, of Lombard-street, London, Goldsmith and Banker, intend to meet on the 20th Day of March next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Miles Nightingall, of the Parish of St. James Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Grocer, intend to meet on the 26th of March next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joshua Willcocks, late of Aldermanbury, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 20th of March next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Second Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And such Persons, who have only made Claims of Debts, are also to come prepared to give sufficient Proof thereof, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend, and of the Dividend already made of the said Bankrupt's Estate.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Michael Hughes, of Yarm, in the County of York, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Michael Hughes hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 15th of March next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against George Barton, late of Huntingdon in the County of Huntingdon, Bookseller and Carrier, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said George Barton hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 15th of March next.

THE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for Relief of insolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London

Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and are herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of Wood-street Compter, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. John Gutterage, late of the Marshes, in the County of Surry, Yeoman.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the King's Bench Prison in the County of Surry, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament, made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. John Dewsbery, late of Scarborough in the County of York, Mariner.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of the Goal for the City of Chester, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City of Chester, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. John Storr, late of the City of Chester, Mariner.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas, on or before the First Day of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of his Majesty's Prison in and for the County of Devon, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at the Castle of Exon, in and for the said County of Devon, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. David Vanson, late of Plymouth in the said County of Devon, Taylor, Baker and Victualler.

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The following Person being a Fugitive Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Goaler or Keeper of the County Goal of Essex, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said County of Essex, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. William Harris, late of the Parish of Whitechapple, in the County of Middlesex, Cordwainer.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January, 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of his Majesty's Goal at Maidstone, in and for the County of Kent, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Maidstone in and for the said County of Kent, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall first happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Jones, late of Rotherhithe in the County of Surry, Mariner.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the First of January, 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of Whitechappel Prison, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County of Middlesex, or at the Adjournment thereof that shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. George Thomson, late of the Minorities, London, Mariner.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in St. Thomas's Ward or Prison in and for the County of Devon, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the County of Devon, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after thirty Days

from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Jones, late of Ringlish, otherwise Ashreany, in the County of Devon, Mahster.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper or Goaler of his Majesty's Court of the Palace of Rochester in the County of Kent, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Maidstone in and for the County of Kent, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. John Mason, late of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Wheelwright.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt in his Majesty's Goal the Castle of Lancaster, in and for the County of Lancaster, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in and for the said County of Lancaster, or at the Adjournment thereof, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Henry Hobbs, late of Preston in the County of Lancaster, Butcher.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1742, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, that shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Kelon, late of Woods-close, London, Silversmith.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find, on the Perusal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.